NOTICE OF DECISION UNDER REGULATION 32
FILM POSTERS

VIDEO SLICK

TO: The Film and Video Labelling Body Inc.
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Auckland

Pursuant to regulation 32 of the Films, Videos, and Publications Classification Regulations 1994 the film poster entitled:

Crazy About Asians

is **Not Approved.**

if approval refused, the reasons for the decision:

The video slick is not approved, as it tends to promote and support the exploitation of young persons for sexual purposes. This is due to the juxtaposition of a reference to a schoolgirl with strong sexual language and the images of young Asian women explicitly depicted in sexual activity with men. It is considered this combination of imagery and text in advertising a video that is primarily for the purpose of sexual arousal of men tends to promote and support the exploitation of young persons for sexual purposes.

Consideration has been given to the provisions of the NZBR Act. However, given that the video slick tends to promote and support the exploitation of young persons for sexual purposes as in s3(2) of the FVPC Act, it would be likely to be classified as objectionable if it were submitted under s13(1) of this Act. This is the minimum restriction on the freedom of expression necessary to prevent injury to the public good, and which is consistent with Parliament's intention to ban material that tends to promote or support the exploitation of a young person for sexual purposes.

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